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NEW HALL IN MANCHESTER

Buildings and Lands Committee Has One in View.

KOOM FOR CITY OFFICES

Fight at 12th and Hull Streets Results in the Arrest of a Young Man-Benefit for Firemen-Cantata To-Night.

A meeting of the Buildings and Lands business of the year was wound up,

committee, with Mr. Robert Owen as chairman, hasi n view the enlargement of the present courthouse and the conbuilding, with more room for each. The present hall is entirely too small and bondensed for practical purposes, and the scheme, as outlined by Mr. Owen, is one that comes entirely within the icope of the city government.

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The plan is to erect a two-story building in front of the present courthouse, naking the entire building of a T shape. The addition is to be constructed so as to accommodate the Auditor, Treasurer, lity Collector, Water and Gas offices, folice Court ond Council chamber, with bundance of room for each. The Fire Department is to be removed to another gite, and the present City Hall is to be azed to the ground.

This proposed new structure will not be built out of the present appropriation, but it is believed by Mr. Owen and the there of the committee that within the next year sufficient funds will be available. Those present at the meeting last aight were Messrs. Owen, Bradley, Reams and Rudd.

SOME EXCITEMENT.

There was a whole lot of excitement at the corner of Twelfth and Hull Streets last night, occasioned by a fight alleged to have taken place between George Meredith and another young man. Meredith was arrested and balled for his appearance this morning, but the other young man was not arrested, as his name could not be learned.

BOYS WERE FINED.

As a result of the shooting on Stockton Street, a number of colored boys were fined in the Folice Court by Mayor Maurice, yesterday morning, and the funds in the city treasury were considerably enlarged. Two were fined \$5 each and eight were fined \$2.50 each, for creating a family row.

FIREMEN'S BENEFIT.

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All arrangements have been completed for the entertainment to be given for the benefit of the firemen on February

the benefit of the Bremen on general 20th
Charles & Farley's combination, of Church Hill, will be the entertainers, and it would be hard to find a better company of amateurs.
COMMITTEE MEETINGS.
A meeting of the Street Committee will be held to-night, at which time the work for the year will probably be mapped out. The appropriation of \$7,000 to that committee does not mean, of course, that that sum will be spent entirely for permanent street improvements. A part of it will go to the general expense fund, but the greater part will be for permanent work. ent work. The Fire Commissioners will also meet

morrow night the Finance Commit

to-morrow fight the Finance Commettee will get together.

CANTATA AND CONCERT.

The grand concert and sacred cantata.
"The Peace of Jerusalem," will be rendered to-night at the Bainbridge-Street
Baptist Church at 8:30 o'clock, and the
way the tickets have been selling the

Baptist Church at 8:30 o'clock, and the way the tickets have been selling the prospects are that the church will be ocowded.

This entertainment is in charge of the three lady socioties of the church, who are endeavoring to pay off the debt on the handsome new organ.

There will be some beautiful organ selections played by Mr. Manly B. Ramos, which will tend to show the beautiful effects that can be obtained from the handsome organ. The quartette will de its best works and all who attend will enjoy a rare treat.

SMALL TALK.

Compulsory vaccination was begun yesterday and will continue until all efficients who have not been vaccinated as operated upon.

Mrs. Morris, the mother-in-law of Squire Clark, of Swansboro, is ill.

Mrs. J. P. Woolfolk contains ill.

Mrs. J. T. Canada its sick with the pneumonia.

pneumonia.

FUNERAL OF MR. WOODCOCK.

The funeral of Mr. Archer T. Woodcock will take place from Hopewell
Church this afternoon. Mr. Woodcock
was well known in Manchester and Rich
mond. He died on Tuesday. The funeral arrangements were in the hands of
Funeral Director L. A. Fowen.

VALENTINE TEA.

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The Earnest Workers of the Presbyterian Church will give a Valentine tea at
the residence of Mrs. W. B. Bradley on
Friday evening, the 18th, from 8 to 12
o'clock. A special musical programme
will be rendered.

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There seems to have been some misunderstanding in regard to an item which appeared in The Times-Dispatch Tuesday regarding parties from Richmond having been a second time refused admission to a dance at Leader Hall Monlay night. One of those concerned says that such was not the case, but that the whole matter was amicably adjusted on that occasion.

WANT HOBSON TO RECONSIDER ACTION

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, February 4.—Admiral Taylor, Chief of the Navigation Bureau, has made the following recommendation to the Secretary of the Navy concerning Captain Hobson's resignation:

"The Bureau is reluctant to recommend the acceptance of this officer's lesignation, believing that time should he given him to reconsider his decision and make a trial of the new duties at the station to which he has been assigned, that the Government may retain the services of an officer whose record has been so brilliant."

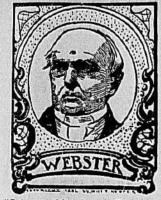
Secretary Modes

Socretary Moody to-day telegraphed this recommendation to Capitain Hobson, with the statement that the Department approved it and transmitted it to aim for his consideration.

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As a "February Leader," and to draw men to our store we're going to sell 100 dozen more of those famous extraply, linen bosom, felled seamed, white, laundered all-American shirts—as good as the best \$1.50 sort—at only...... \$1.05

Many of you bought last year. You'll be first to come again.



THREE FAVORITES WERE THE WINNERS

Kilogram, Sheriff Bell and Pyrrho the Winning Favorites at New Orleans.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW ORLEANS, LA., February 4—
Kilogram, Sheriff Bell and Pyrrho were
the winning favorites. Summaries:
First race—mile and an eighth—Kilogram (1) to 10) first, Satin Coat (0 to 2)
second, Aurle B. (2 to 1) third. Time,
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second, Aurla B. (2 to 1) third. Time, 2:023-5.
Second race—three and one-half furnons—Bird Pond (8 to 1) first, McGongle (2 to 1) second, The Brown Monarch (15 to 1) third. Time, 146.
Third race—mile—Mauser (8 to 2) first, Orpheum (13 to 2) second, Floyd K. (4 to 1) third. Time, 1:47.
Fourth race—mile and sixteenth—Sheriff Bell (6 to 5) first, Potheca (4 to 1) second, Albert Dewey (20 to 1) third. Time, 1:523-5.
Fifth race—six furlongs—Henry McDaisel (7 to 2) first, Scorplo (5 to 1) second, Philo (6 to 1) third. Time, 1:633-5.
Sixth race—mile and seventy yards—Pyrrho (2 to 1) first, Flaneur (2 to 1) second, Peat (9 to 1) third, Time, 1:633-5.

H. A, WRENN MUST SERVE FIVE YEARS

'In the Law and Equity Court yester tay the jury in the case of Elizabeth Holleran against the city of Richmond and the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company for \$5,000 returned a verdict for the defendants.

Judge Wellford handed down a decision in the Henrico Circuit Court yesterday morning in which he denied the petition of H. A. Wrenn for a new trial.

Wrenn was convicted at the October term of th court for the killing of Frank P. Bagent and sentenced to five years in the penitentlary.

ANTIGIA COMPANY

HAS GOOD YEAR

Stockholders of the Antigia Chemical ing on Tuesday night, and heard reports of the past twelve months and
elected officers for the ensuing year. The
business of the company has been exceedingly gratifying. Those chosen officers for the next year are Messra. E. D.
Taylor, president; W. F. Powers, vicepresident; R. L. Powers, treasurer; L. N.
Fox, secretary; J. F. Gibboney, general
manager. ing on Tuesday night, and heard re-

No News From Trigg's Yet.

Mr. Lilburn T. Myers said last night that no developments had occurred re-lating to the Trigg shippards that could be announced new, and that there was absolutely nothing to say. When h could say anything definitely, he would be only too glad to do so

TO ENTERTAIN

At 7:29 o'clock he will be escorted to the Elks' Home, where a special meeting will be held to receive him, and afterwards a banquet will be given in his honor in the social session hall.

But it was no use, the policeman refused to move a peg.

The patrol wagon was called, and gently Berkle was lifted into the vehicle. He mished his nap at the Second Police Station, and this morning will explain himself to Justice John. or in the social session hall.

During his stay in the city, which will

be until Saturday afternoon, he will be in the hands of the local committee, and he will be given an insight into Richmond hospitality Mr. Cronk is the head of one of the largest and most influential secret orders

in this country. The committee to entertain him em braces the following members of Rich mond Lodge: Messrs. L. O. Wendenburg Thomas Boudar, Preston Belvin, W. M. Lawrence, T. R. A. Burke, P. B. Ketty and Frank W. Cunningham,
All local and visiting Elks are invited to call at the Home to-morrow night to welcome Grand Exalted Ruler Cronk.

NECESSARY

Will Be Needed to Enter the Lines at Fires.

TO OFFER AN ORDINANCE

Will Be Unlawful for Those Not Entitled to Wear Them-Police Are Much Troubled By the Large Number of Impostors.

As a result of the slight misunderstand ing between certain police officers and citizens-newspaper and insurance menat the Younger fire in Virginia Street last Tuesday night, the former refusing admission inside the fire lines to the latter, there will be introduced at the next meeting of the Common Council an ordinance which will make it unlawful for any person other than members of the fire department, police force and such the persons as may be equipped with a badge to enter the fire lines. The badges are to be designed by Chief Puler and adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners as official, and shall be issued to only such members of the press and insurance men as may be designated by the heads of the various enterprises

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ORDINANCE NECESSARY.

Several councilmen were present at the fire the other night and the necessity of such an ordinance was impressed upon each and every one. The idea has the endorsement of the Police and Fire Board and members of the two departments, and will doubtless meet with little opposition in the Council.

The police are grossly imposed upon at every large fire. After stretching fire lines the officers set about moving the crowd on the outside both as a precautionary measure to prevent any one be ing injured, and to give the firemen a



THE OFFICIAL BADGE.

better chance and more room to cope with the blaze.

Upon all such occasions there are many impostors who claim to represent this or that newspaper or insurance company, and the police have no way in the world of ascertaining the truth of these statements. As a consequence many who are entitled to a place inside the lines are shut out, the officers not being personally acquainted with every applicant.

At the fire Tuesday night several newspaper and insurance men were for the time being excluded from a point of vantage and compelled to mix with the better chance and more room to cope

tage and compelled to mix with the throng, guessing at facts and features. until an opportunity was afforded them to slip by the police at the lines. There was a general kick.

BADGE ADOPTED.

At a recent meeting of the Fire Board the matter was called to their attention by Chief Puller, and by a unanimous vote a resolution authorizing the members of the press and insurance men to come within the fire lines was adopted. Since that time Chief Puller has designed a badge, a cut of which is presented herewith. This has also been adopted as official.

Already The Times-Dispatch Company has ordered a half dozen of these badges for the use of its reporters at fires, and in the future no trouble will be experienced. BADGE ADOPTED.

tremities of William Berkle ceased workling about noon yesterday. He was helpless, and could move not another step.
He was at the corner of First and Jackson Streets, and the day being pleasant,
he thought to himself that a short nap
in the cool breezes under the canopy of
a clear sky would refresh him. So,
therefore, William stretched himself at
full length across the sidewalk at this
point and was soon in the arms of Morpheus.

EXALTED RULER

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Probably an hour passed, but Berkle continued to sneoze, those who chanced along the opposite side of the street, not caring to disturb his slumber. He smored loudly, and this reassured the small boys, who collected, for they knew a dead man could not snore.

Finally Sergeant Farley happened along. He saw Berkle, and he, too, was reassured. He knew further that the man was drunk. He likewise knew that he was asleep, and he hated to do it, but he did. He actually cracked the fellow some half dozen licks on the sole of his feet, and he moved.

Several more blows, rendered with more force, slightly awakened the man, and he murmured gently the old familiar murred to the Jefferson, where he will dine.

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Mr. Grimmell Better.

Mr. Henry Grimmell, who fell and broke his leg while going to the fire Tuesday night, was reported as getting along nicely last night. He was carried to St. Luke's Hospital where his leg was set. No test of the stand pies at Murphy's Hotel yesterday, the Fire Board having called off the test because of the work done by the department at the fire Tuesday night. The time for the trial will be appropried later.

announced later.

Berry's for clothes' BADGES ARE PAINE'S CELERY PAGE MORRIS COMPOUND Will Banish Your Neuralgia.

TO BE JUDGE

President Roosevelt Has De-

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the root of disease (the nerve centers)

raines Collery Compound is working at the root of disease (the nerve centers), bracing and building up the weakened and irritated parts and purifying the blood, neuralgia, rheumatism, and poisons are expelled forever from the system. Dr. Phelps wonderful prescription is carrying health and happiness into thousands of homes: it is what you need for your present troubles; it makes sick people well and strong. Dr. Dudley Comer. of Simpsonville, Kentucky, says:

"I have carefully examined the formula of Paine's Celery Compound and have no hesitancy in pronouncing it is a compound of great therapoutic value. It has a wide range in its adaptation to the treatment of diseases, as it possesses tonic and alterative, laxative and durette properties, and can be used any length of time without danger of toxic breets. It is a safe and judicious combination, well adapted to the treatment of neuralgia and rheumatism in all their varied forms, and all diseases dependent upon a depression of the nervous system and topper of the bowels. I regard it as a good blood purifier."

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DEATH OF A. J. FORD OF GLOUCESTER

Fowhatan House, at Eleventh and Broad Streets. The owners asked \$22,000 for the hotel, but Mrs. Mary Collins, an old lady, had an intetrest in it and she was granted by court interest on \$16,000 a year during her life time. In order to make the first payment on the property Mr. Ford drew his note for \$5,000 and the late Mr. Wellington Goddin gave him the money on it. He renamed the Powhatan House, Ford's Hotel and so it remained until about four years ago when the present lessees rechristened it "New Ford's Hotel."

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In order to save himself for the payment of the annuity to Mrs. Collins, he insured her life for enough to cover what he thought he would likely payout to her. But the tenacity of this lady on life was wonderful. He soon found out that he was paying out more in premiums than he was in the interest on \$10,000 to her. So he greatly increased the insurance until he was paying premiums on considerably more than \$10,000. Mrs. Collins lived for seventeen years, during which time he paid out interest and premiums each amounting to more than \$16,000. But when he collected the insurance money he found he had enough to make all the remaining payments on the Fords and buy the St. Claire Hotel, the Virginia House adjoining it and a farm near Richmond. joining it and a farm near Richmond. Upon selling the latter he purchased the famous Castleton stock farm in Ken-

Mr. Ford acquired his hotel when Rich

mond had none worthy of the name, and he conducted a first-class hostelry as the people of that day understood it, and he made money rapidly.

LOVED RICHMOND WBLL.

Until about four years ago he conducted Ford's, and during that long period from 1869 until late in the nineties he was a familiar figure on the streets of Richmond and was regarded, as he was, one of the most substantial and prosperous men of the community.

Retiring from the management of the Ford's, the property was leased by him, and he went to Norfolk, where he conducted the Gladstone.

But Richmond was the dearest place on earth to him, and he returned here a little more than a year ago and opened the Ford's Union Hotel, at the Main-Street Depot. Ill health and advancing age forced him to retire from active business, and some months ago he sold his lease to Mr. Edgar Allan, Jr., the present manager.

The estate is valued at half a mil-

The ordinance which is proceed to be a surance man or a member of the press to wear one of the badges. In case an impostor is caught he will be dealt with harshly by the law.

OBSTRUCTED THE STREETS
All How Berkle's Love of Liquor and Desire to Snooze Undid Him.

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Mrs. Ford was Miss Mary Louise Carter, of Cumberland county. She and four children survive him. They are Mrs. Charles E. Quincey, of New York; Mrs. Mary Lee Bitting, Mr. B. W. Ford and Mr. Stewart h, Ford, all of Richmond.

Some years ago Mr. Ford invested

some years ago Mr. Ford invested quite largely in real estate at Glouces-ter Point. This property for the most part was deeded to his wife, but a place

of not more than seventeen acres he retained, and there he cued. None of the children were with him.

Mr. B. W. Ford went down yesterday afternoon and Mr. Billey, the undertaker, will go down this morning, taking the casket with him.

the casket with him.

The place is extremely difficult to reach. The casket will have to be taken from the Chesapeake and Ohlo train at Lee Hall and conveyed across York county in a wagon and then ferried across York river. The remains will be brought to the city to-morrow morning, via West Point and the Southern.

ern.

The funeral service will be conducted at the vault in Hollywood Cemetery, conducted by Dr. Hawthorne. The pall-bearers will be selected from among the intimate friends of the deceased, and these, with the completed funeral arrangements, will be published to-morrow morning.

Bread Riots in Spain.

(By Associated Press.)
VALLADOLID, SPAIN, Feb. 4.—Sev. eral thousand unemployed persons murched through the streets here to-day, demanding work or bread. They looted bread wagons and were charged by the gendarmes. Shots were exchanged, some men were injured and many arrests were made.

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cided to Name Him.

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> President Roosevelt has decided to ap-Sixth Minnesota District, judge of the newly created Federal judicial district of Minnesota. The office to which Mr. Morris will be appointed was created by an act of Congress approved only last week.

Mr. Morris is a Virginian, having been born fi Lynchburg, After graduating at the Virginia Military Institute he was ap pointed assistant professor of mathematics at that institution. Later he held a professorship in the University of Texas. Returning to virginia in 1880 he took up the practice of law in Lynchburg. In 1884 he was nominated for Congress by the Republicains, but was beaten by Senator Daniel.

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WENT TO MINNESOTA.

A few years later he went to Duluth,
Minn., and entered municipal politics,
holding several important city offices one
after the other. In 1896 he got the Republican nomination for Congress for the
Sixth Minnesots District and defeated
Charles A. Towne, the Democratic nominee, who tried for the Lemocratic nomination for Vice-President at Kansas City
in 1900.

In 1990.

On Saturday last, as soon as the actoreating the new judgeship in Minnesota was approved, the Minnesota delegation called upon President Roosevelt and urged him to appoint Mr. Morris. The President told the delegation that if they did not hear from him to the contrary by Monday they might announce that Representative Morris would receive the appointment.

ment.

The Minnesotans have heard nothing from Mr. Roosevelt, so it is generally accepted that Mr. Morris will be appointed.

(Continued on Second Page.)

an inch. The wind reached a velocity of forty-six miles an hour, continuing so for two hours. The Tennessee River, as a result of heavy rains during the past few days, is risinf rapidly, all tributa-ries pouring in volumes of water. To-day is clear and pleasant, with a light wind.

FLOOD FOLLOWED KENTUCKY CLOUDBURST

(By Associated Press.)
MIDDLESBORO, KY., February 4.—A cloudburst in the mountains last night precipitated a flood down Yellow Creek valley. Two houses were flooded by rain and some fencing was washed away Several tresties of the Middlesbero Belt Rallway were undermined and trains were delayed.

BRIDGES CARRIED AWAY BY MISSISSIPPI WATRES

(By Associated Press MEMPHIS, TENN., February 4.—Re-ports from Central Mississippi state that the heavy rains of yesterday caused considerable damage to bridges. At Hazelburst a large steel bridge was washed away, and several wooden bridges were destroyed. The weather in Memphis and vicinity to-day is clear

HEAVY RAIN AND WIND AT LOUISVILLE

(By Associated Press.) LOUISVILLE, KY., February 4 .- A heavy rain, which set in over Louisville last evening, continued during the night, accompanied by a wind which at one time reached a velocity of forty-six miles an hour. The electric currents of the Louisville Rallway Company, the Citizens' General Electric Company and the Postal Telegraph Company, became crossed during the night burning out the dynamo plants and working minor damage at the power plants. Falling trolley wires caused a temporary suspension of street railway traffic on two lines. The telegraph companies are not working to Chicago, and their facilities to other points are seriously impaired. The temperature has fallen very rapidly in

temperature has fallen very rapidly in the Mississippi Valley and the west, and is falling rapidly in the Ohio Valley and

Fennessee. Snow blizzards are reported through the West and Northwest, and it is ing this morning in Northern Indiana and Illinois.

and Illinois.

The isolation of Chicago from the world telegraphically, which has not happened in many years, is the direct result of a heavy sleet storm, which extends northward from Monon, Ind., to the lakes. Squads of linemen have been dispatched by the various railroads, telegraph and telephone companies to repair the damage.

BOOKER WENT

Will Address Educators at Gainesville Fla., Despite Discussion. (By Associated Press.)
TUSKEGEE, ALAL, Feb. 4.-Booke

r. Washington left to-night for Gaines

The General Education Board was repre-

The General Education Board was represented by Dr. Wallace Buttrick, score-tary and treasurer; D. H. Loyd and Professor Thrasher, all of New York.

The morning session was devoted to discussing school finances and needed legislation. Dr. Butrick delivered an address on general education and the objects of the board. Professor Charles McMurray, of the State Normal College, of Illinois, speke at night.

Superintendent Spear announced from the platform that Booker Washington will speak in the courthouse to-morrow night. Half of the hall will be reserved for white and half for colored people. The indications are that the courthouse will not be found sufficient to accommodate the crowds.

Ladrones are Active.

MANILA, Feb. 4.—Seattered bands of Ladrones in Cavite, Risal and Bulcan provinces, who had formed a junction in Bulcan, defeated thirty constabulary last Thursday, The constabular returned afterwards returned reinforced, whereupon the Ladrones fled. A large force of police are now in the fleid, and hopes are entertained that the Ladrones will be captured or dispersed.

Manila Free from Cholera.

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(By Associated Press.)

MANILA, Feb. 4.—The United States quarantine officials have declared Manila to be free from cholera, thus ending the quarantine, which has lasted nearly a year. Though cholera has disappeared from Manila, it is still epidemic in parts of the island. The total of the reported cases since the outbreak is 180,863, with 82,055 deaths. The actual number is probably 20 per cent. more.

Richmond Elks.

Richmond Lodge of Elks met last night and initiated three new members. The attendance was large and enthusiastic.

RICHMOND PEOPLE OWN A GOLD MINE

Stockholders in the Longfellow Mine Strike It Rich. Mrs. Harvey's Success.

New and rich findings in the Longfellow gold mine, near Denver, Col., is most gratifying news to a number of Richmond people and their friends.

When the stock of this mine was on the market two years or more ago, Richmond people bought very generally.

The mine apparently went to sleep, and all began to think their money was thrown away. But now tidings come which cheer all, and the chink of gold is music in many ears.

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Among the fortunate Richmond stock-holders are D. A. Ainsile, James Augustine, W. T. Carrington, James T. Ferriter, A. W. Hargrove, Mrs. L. Harvey, W. L. and W. W. Harvey, O. A. Hawkins, George I. Herring, R. H. Hinton, R. W. Hudson, Phil. G. Kelly, S. L. Kelley, T. J. King, Miss Celia Lynds, A. S. McCauley, Sam Miller, P. T. Murphy, Mrs. H. J. Myers, J. R. Parker, T. W. Pemberton, H. M. Reinhard, A. Pizzini, Jr., C. T. Sydnor, Mrs. Carrie L. Waddy and others.

A meeting of the directors of the mine will be held in New York soon to consider an offer from a New York syndicate of \$1,000,000 for the mine.

None were more successful than Mrs. Luke Harvey, She purchased 402 shares at a ridiculously low Egufve, and she bought this to gratify a friend of her son. Her value of the stocks are now estimated at \$40,000.

OBITUARY. Rev. Dr. Joseph F. Deans.

Rev. Dr. Joseph F. Deans, president of Windsor Academy and one of the trustees of Richmond College, died suddenly yesterday morning at 3 o'clock at his home in Windsor, Va.

The death of Dr. Deans, which was wholly unexpected, came as a great shock to his many friends throughout this section of the State. So far as is known, he was apparently in good health on Tuesday.

n Tuesday. His wife has been spending some time

His wife has been spending some time with her sister. Mrs. Woolfolk, who is ill in Manchester, and was there when the news of the death came yesterday. Sie at once hurried home.

Throughout the entire State Dr. Deans was well known and much beloved. He was born in Churchland, Va. and was educated at Columbian University and the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. At the latter institution he was a classmate of Professor W. H. Whitsitt, of Richmond College. At one time Dr. Deans was pastor of the Bainbridge-Street Church, of Manchester, where he had a most successful pastorate.

For more than a score of years he had

For more than a score of years he had conducted the Windsor Academy, a school of his own founding, and had served as pastor of churches in the windstry. served as pastor of churches in the vicinity. He was at various times moderator of the Portsmouth Association, and vice-president of the Baptist General Association of Virgina. In recognition of his efficient services as preacher and denominational leader, Richmond College conferred on him in 1871 the degree of Doctor of Divinity.

Dr. Deans leaves a widow and two children—a son and a daughter. His son, Parke P. Dean, graduated at Richmond College last June with the degree of B. A., and is at present one of the teachers in Windsor Academy.

John Ridgely,

John Ridgely. Mr. John Ridgely died yesterday morning at 2 o'clock at his home in Henrico

county.

Mr. Ridgely, who was the keeper of the Fort Harrison Cemetery and was well known throughout the county, was

AMUSEMENTS.

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and Saturday.

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THE VALENTINE MUSEUM

in his cighty-fourth year. He had been in ill health for many years.

He was born in Baltimore, July 4, 1810, and was a veteran of the Mexfean and Civil Wars. He spent some years in Indian Territory and while there collected a vast store of relics and curios, which now adorn his home in Henrico.

Mr. Ridgely is survived by a widow and five childhen.

Mrs. Mary A. White.

Mrs. Mary A. White died Monday in
New York city. The funeral will take
place to-day at 2:30 o'clock at Mount
Tabor Baptist Church, Woodville, Va.
Mrs. White was the widow of the inte
Roy. G. White, and the mother of the
Roy. Thomas White, of Clifton Forge;
Messrs. Robert and William White and
Mrs. Lizzle Jones, of this city; Mrs. E.
L. Bowman, Mrs. M. E. Spencer, Mrs.
M. A. Dandridge and Mr. Joseph White,
of New York.

Malcom Moshy.

Malcom Mosby. Malcom Mosby, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Mosby, died yesterday morning at the residence of his parents, No. 400 Thirty-second Street. The funeral will take place to-day.

Spotswood Goodlog.

(Special to the Times-Dispatch.)
GORDONSVILLE, VA., February 4.—
Spotswood Goodlee, second son of Mr. J.
C. Goodlee, died at the home of his father, about four miles from Gordonsville, in Albemarle county, Tuesday night about 9 o'clock, after an illness of a few weeks, with typhoid fever. Mrs. Daniel H. Brown.

William L. Pierce. (Sneeds) in The Times.Dispatch.)

HEATHSVILLE, VA., February 4.—
William L. Pierce died from a recent
stroke of paralysis at his home, near
Mary Point, Lancaster county, yesterday, aged sixty-five years. Mr. Pierce
was an ex-Confederate soldler.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ALEXANDRIA, VA., Feb. 4.—Miss
Christana West, a well-known young
lady, died last evening at her late home
in Washington. She was the daughter
of Jacob West, of this city.
The remains were brought here for
burial.

George W. Denby.

DEATHS. FORD.—Died, February 4, 1903, at Glou-cester Point, Va., ANDREW JACKSON FORD, of Richmond, Va., aged seventy-six years. Interment private at Hollywood on FRIDAY. No flowers.

WHITE.—Mrs. MARY A. WHITE died in New York city on the 2d instant, and her funeral will take place at Mt. Tabor Baptist Church, Woodville, Richmond, Va., TO-DAY at 2:39 P. M. Frien and acquaintences are cordulally invites.

Mrs. White was the widow of the late Rev. G. White, and the mother of Rev Thomas H. White, Clifton Forge, Va. Messrs. Rober, and william White, and Mrs. Lizzle Jones, of this city; Mrs. E. L. Bowman, Mrs. M. E. Spencer, Mrs. M. A. Dandridge and Mr. Joseph White, of New York.

EVERYTHING YOU WANT IN THE TIMES-DISPATCH BARGAIN WANT ADS.

Pages might be written of the great diversity of subjects contained in the many columns of classified want ads which appear from day to day in The Times-Dispatch, making a most valuable as well as an entertaining medium. Especially interesting and valuable are these want ad columns in the Sunday issue; they are a veritable encyclopacia of information for every one, whether they want to buy, sell, rent or exchange anything from a house and lot or a farm down to the most commonplace article in everyday use.

The Times-Dispatch want ad. columns are the recognized medium of the prople in which to make known their wants, notably the large number of situations offered to the unemployed and the saryies of the unemployed offered to those who may need them. Under their respective heads are found offers and wants of dry goods, clothing, musical instruments, diamonds, jowelry, machinery, animals, horses, dogs, birds and other pois; in fact, anything and everything that we may need.

fessional offices and partnerships in some of the best paying occupations to be desired, while other want ads. are devoted to college, private schools, musical conservatories, dencing classes, athletic, physical culture and dramatic schools.

Then there are columns of fundable

T. Washington left to-might for Gaines ville, Fla., to address a meeting of school superintendents and educators to be held there. Recently an invitation was extended Washington to be present, but the discussion which arose over the matter was of such a nature that the negro educator decided not to accept. To-day, however, he received a telegram from W. R. Thomas, Mayor of Gainesville, assuring him of a cordial reception.

FLORIDA CONFERENCE

School Finances and Needed Legislation Discussed.

(BY Associated Press.)

GAINESVILLE, Tla., Feb. 4.—The joint conference of county superintendents and educators met here to-day, State Superintendent Spears presiding.

TWICE DAILY AT 2 AND 7 P. M. ADMISSION 25c. CHILDREN 15c

ELEVENTH AND CLAY STREETS. Open daily from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. Admission, 25 cents. Free on Saturdays.

Mrs. Mary A. White.

John T. Minson.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

YORKTOWN, VA., February 4.—Dr, and Mrs. S. J. Cooke are in receipt of advices announcing the death in El Paso, rexas, of Mr. John T. Minson, the brother of Mrs. Cooke. Mr. Minson was an old Yorktown boy who emigrated to the West and settled in Southern California, where he became interested in railroading and up to last September held the position of tariff agent on the Southern Pacific Railroad, with headquarters at San Francisco. Of late his health had been falling and he was ordered by his physician to El Paso to recuperate, where he died on Friday last.

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His widow, nee Miss Bonhiman. San
Francisco, with two children, survive
him. His mother, Mrs. Kemp E. Minson, six sisters and a brother survive
him.

General to the Times-Dispatch. CARTERSVILLE, VA., February 4.—
Mrs. Daniel H. Brown died near Hopewell
Church, in Powhatan county, en Monday afternoon. Mrs. Brown leaves a
husband and several children. She was
the third wife of D. H. Brown, of Powhatan county, one of the best and most
popular men of that county.

Miss Christana West.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, VA.: February 4.—Georga
W. Denby, one of Norfolk's oldest and
best known citizens, died Monday night,
aged eighty-one years. Mrs. Mary Talley. CARTERSVILLE, VA., February 4.-Mrs. Mary Talley, eighty-five years old, the widow of Dr. E. P. Talley, died in the home of her daughter. Mrs. Walter T. Hasser, near Trenton Mills, Monday.